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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND
REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

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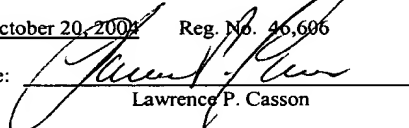
Invention Title
**METHOD OF SCREENING FOR PROTEIN INHIBITORS
AND ACTIVATORS**

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- Applicants respectfully request a three month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action mailed for which a response period expiring on July 20, 2004 was set. The extended period expires on October 20, 2004. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) extension fee of **\$980.00** to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, deposit account number **11-0600**. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment in connection with this paper to Deposit Account No. 11-0600.
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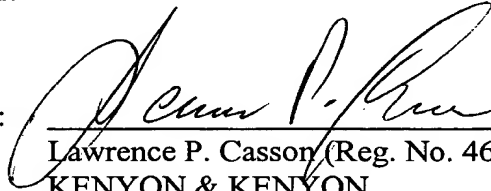
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